GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri P. Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj on the allegations of irregularities and misappropriation of Government funds while he was working as I/c Mandal Parishad Developmenbt Officer, Lepakshi (M), Anantapur District - Appointment of Enquiry Officer and Presenting Officer –Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.239 Dated:08-03-2016

Read the following:

1. Govt.Memo.No.260/VS-1/A3/2001-26, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Dated:22.2.2003.
2. From Sri P. Babu, Dy.E.E., Panchayat Raj representation, Dated:5.11.03.
3. Govt.Memo.No.260/VS-I/A3/2001 Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Dated.05.01.04.
4. G.O.Rt.No.114, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (Vig.II) Department, Dated:28.01.2005.
5. G.O.Rt.No.1657, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (Vig.II) Department, Dated:28.09.2005.
6. G.O.Ms.Nos.259 & 260, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (Vig.II) Department, Dated:6.6.2007.
7. From General Administration (COI.CK) Department, U.O.Note No.674/COI.CK/A2/2009, Dated: 17.04.2010.
8. Govt. Memo No.260/Vig.II/A1/2001-47, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (Vig.II) Department, Dated:2.8.2013.
9. From the DSP, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Ananthapur Range, Anantapur, Letter No.12 & 13/RCO-ATP/1996, dt:29.09.2015.

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ORDER:

In Government Memo. 1st read above, charges were framed against Sri P. Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer, formerly I/C Mandal Parishad Developmenbt Officer, Lepakshi (Mandal), Anantapur District (now dismissed from service) on the allegations of irregularities and misappropriation of Government funds. In response to the said charge Memo., the individual has submitted representation 2nd read above with a request to allow him two months time to submit his written statement of defence. After examining the same, the individual has been given one month extension of time to submit his written statement of defence stating that no further extension of time will be granted under any circumstances, vide Govt. Memo.3rd read above. He acknowledged the same but did not turn up with written statement of defence.

2. Government, after examining the matter, had appointed Smt. Chandana Khan, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries as Inquiring Authority, vide G.O.4th read above, for conducting inquiry into the charges framed against Sri P. Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj and formerly I/C Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Lepakshi (Mandal), Anantapur District (now dismissed from service) on the allegations of irregularities and misappropriation of Government funds.

3. In the U.O. Note 7th read above, the Commissioner of Inquiries have returned the case, for want of original records / documents and requested to send back the case along with all original records listed in the charge memo. In the letter 9th read above, the Anti-Corruption Bureau has furnished copies of certain records / documents, which are available with them. Government, after examining the matter, have decided to conduct inquiry with the documents made available by the Anti-Corruption Bureau, by appointing

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Sri S.A. Huda, IPS, Commissioner of Inquiries, as Inquiring Authority, in this matter.

4. Accordingly, Government hereby appoint S.A. Huda, I.P.S., Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Inquiring Authority under Rule.20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 to conduct departmental enquiry against Sri P.Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer, formerly I/C Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Lepakshi (Mandal), Anantapur District (now dismissed from service).

5. Government also hereby appoint Sri M. Varaprasada Rao, Advocate as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiring Authority on behalf of the Government, under Rule 20(5) (C) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Inquiring Authority effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce all necessary documents required by the Enquiry Officer during the course of enquiry.

6. The Inquiring Authority is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub-rule.23 of the above said rule. Copies of Charge Memo. issued to the Delinquent Officer and the relevant documents / records are herewith furnished to the Inquiring Authority as required under rule.20(6) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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The General Administration (COI.R) Department.
The Engineer-in-Chief (Panchayat Raj), Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Director General, Andhra Pradesh, Anti Corruption Bureau, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad.
The Secretary to Vigilance Commission, Andhra Pradesh, Vigilance Commission, North "H" Block, Ist Floor, Secretariat, Hyd.
S.f./S.c.

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SECTION OFFICER